गंगा कार्य योजना के अन्तर्गत मुख्य दिशा परिवर्तन और पंपिंग स्टेशन की योजनाओं का पूरा किया जाना

234. **श्री सत्य प्रकाश मालवीय** : क्या पर्यावरण और वन मंत्री 3 नवम्बर, 1988 को राज्य सभा में अतारांकित प्रश्न 157 के दिए गए उत्तर को देखेंगे और यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या गंगा कार्य योजना के अन्तर्गत गऊघाट, चाचर नाला और घाघर नाला सम्बन्धी मुख्य दिशा परिवर्तन और पंपिंग स्टेशन की योजनाएं पूरी हो गई हैं; और

(ख) यदि हां, तो उनका ब्यौरा क्या है और यदि नहीं, तो उसके क्या कारण हैं?

पर्यावरण और वन मंत्री (श्री जैड॰ आर॰ अंसारी): (क) गऊघाट के सीवेंज पंपिंग स्टेशन संबंधी दिशा-परिवर्तन और नवीकरण, चाचर नाले से संबंधित अपशिष्ट जल का अवरोधन और सीवेज पंपिंग स्टेशन का निर्माण तथा घाघर नाले के अपशिष्ट जल का अवरोधन और दिशा-परिवर्तन कार्य पूरे हो चुके हैं।

(ख) गऊघाट के पंपिग स्टेशन संबंधी दिशा-परिव र्तन नवीकरण में ये कार्य सम्मिलित हैं: दिशा-परिवर्तन चैंबरों, स्क्रीन चैंबर, पंपिंग स्टेशन, पंपिंग संयंत्र, अवरोधक सीवर और राइजिंग मेन आदि का निर्माण। 5 पंप स्थापित किए जा चुके हैं। इसमें से प्रत्येक की क्षमता प्रति मिनट 37,000 लीटर है। पंपिंग स्टेशन की अब शिखर प्रवाह (पीक फ्लो) के समय प्रतिदिन 16 करोड़ लीटर मलजल पंप करने की क्षमता है। इन कार्यों की अनुमानित लागत 312.98 लाख रुपये है।

चाचर नाले से संबंधित दिशा-परिवर्तन कार्यों में ये सम्मिलित हैं : नाला नियंत्रण, नाला अवरोधन, पंपिंग स्टेशन का निर्माण, पंपिंग संयंत्रों की व्यवस्था, राइजिंग मेन और सीवर बिछाना आदि। प्रत्येक 3500 लीटर प्रति मिनट की क्षमता वाले 3 पंपों की शिखर प्रवाह के लिए और प्रत्येक 1750 लीटर प्रति मिनट की क्षमता वाले 2 पंपों की व्यवस्था की गई है। स्कीम की संस्वीकृत अनुमानित लागत 113.93 लाख रुपये है।

घाघर नाले के दिशा-परिवर्तन कार्यों में ये सम्मिलित हैं: नाले का अवरोधन, गऊघाट पंपिंग स्टेशन में प्रवाहित होने वाले वर्तमान 54,, डाया सीवर वाले घाघर नाले से 968 मीटर सीवर लाइन बिछाना। स्कीम की संस्वीकृत अनुमानित लागत 31.29 लाख रुपये है।

Representations of November 1984 Riot Victims Association

235. SHRI SATYA PRAKASH MALAVIYA: SHRI ASHWANI KUMAR:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that November, 1984 Riot Victims Association, Janak-puri, New Delhi has represented vide their letters Nos. RVA/MHA/88 dated 28th April, 1988, RVA/MHA/88 dated 22nd June, 1988 and RVA/MHA/88 dated 29th September, 1988 to the Ministry to rify Government's stand on giving compensation/ex-gratia amount to different small business establishments/ commercial vehicles irrespective of the fact that owner of these establishments/ vehicles is one individual whose uninsured properties were looted/damaged and" destroyed during November, 1984 nots

(b) if so, what action has been taken on their said representation; and

(c) how many such cases have been recorded in Delhi and what is the stand of Govcrncmcnt in this matter concerning November, 1984 riot Victims?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SANTOSH MOHAN DEV): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir, It has been decided to club all the business losses of an individual and then work out the ex-gratia amount payable to him.

(c) Delhi Administcation has received a total of 6020 claims.

Strengthening of Assam Border to check infiltration across the border

236. SHRIMATI BIJOYA CHAK RAVARTY: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that foreign nationals from across the border keep

infiltrating into Assam through local agents; and

(b) if so, what positive steps the Central Governemnt have so far taken for strengthening Assam border to prevent infiltration from Bangaldesh as per Assam Accord Clause No. 9 during the period 1985-1988?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SANTOSH MOHAN DEV): (a) and (b) No reports regarding infiltration of foreign nationals from across the border into Assam through local agents have been received. However, the Central Governemnt have taken the following steps to check infiltration into Assam from across the border: -

(1) In pursuance of clause 9 of the Assam Accord a scheme for construction of border road/fence along Indo-Bangladesh border has been taken up and the work is under progress. In response to the request from Government of Assam it has also now been decided to take up construction of barbed wire fence in 36 kms. along the north and south bank of Brahmaputra in Dhubri Sector.

(2) One additional batallion of BSF has been inducted during 1987-88 and another batallion is being provided shortly.

(3) The numbers of Border out-posts and of OP towers have been increased.

(4) Under the Prevention of Infiltration of Foreigners Scheme 1280 posts of various categories have been sanctioned for the purpose of detection and expulsion of foreign nationals in Assam.

Proposal for Creating "No Man's Land" on Assam-Bangladesh Border

237. SHRIMATI BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received a memorandum from the Chief Minister of Assam urging the Central Government for creating a "No Man's Land" on the Assam-Bangladesh border; and

(b) if so, what positive steps Government have taken for the implementation of the proposal?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SANTOSH MOHAN DEV): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Since creation of 'No Man's Land' would mean removal of structures along the zero line of the International border as well as eviction of people living in those areas and their subsequent rehabilitation on alternate sites, the State Government have been requested to assess the magnitude of the human problem that is likely to arise.

Foreign exchange reserves

238 SHRI SURESH PACHOURI: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the latest level of foreign currency assets of Rs. 6243.1 crores on December 23, 1988 is less than the trade deficit in 1987-88;

(b) if so, whether the latest level of reserves constituted two thirds of the deficit on merchandise accounts;

(c) if so, what are the main reasons therefor; and

(d) to what extent the latest reserve has been reduced in 1988 and what steps are being taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC AFFAIRS IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) No, Sir. The foreign exchange reserves (excluding Gold and SDR's) as on December 23, 1988 constituted more than